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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

	ORIGINAL DATE 02/14/06		
SPONSOR Salazar	LAST UPDATED _____	HJM 14	_____
SHORT TITLE SAN JUAN PUEBLO NAME CHANGE TO		SB	_____
	OHKAY OWINGEH		_____
		ANALYST Weber	_____

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

Responses Received From

Indian Affairs Department(IAD)

NM Department of Transportation (NMDOT)

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY06	FY07	FY08	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
Total	\$3.0				Non- recurring	General Fund

SUMMARY

House Joint Memorial 14 acknowledges the name change of the Pueblo of San Juan to Ohkay Owingeh and the efforts of Governor Joe Garcia to restore the community's true tribal name; directs the state to change highway and road signs, maps and other public documents to reflect the name change; and requests the U.S. Department of Interior to acknowledge the name change.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

While there are no direct costs involved with a name change itself, expenditures would be required to change road signs, maps and other documents. The NM Department of Transportation estimates this amount as \$3 thousand non-recurring general fund.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

The Indian Affairs Department contributed the following:

On December 14, 2005, Governor Richardson issued a proclamation recognizing the name change from San Juan Pueblo to its traditional and true name, Ohkay Owingeh. He also directed that all official publications and records of the State of New Mexico be changed to reflect the name change. Further, he instructed all state agencies and offices to use the name Ohkay Owingeh in all official documents and records beginning December 19, 2005.

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